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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sirs:

In response to the office action mailed August 26, 2005 in the above application, Applicants respectfully submit the herein amendment and response.

Applicant hereby petitions for and requests a two-month extension of time to extend the period for response up to and including January 26, 2006. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$225.00 extension fee for a small entity to Deposit Account No. 501648. Applicant is a Small Entity.

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